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Denies Advocating "400% Increase"

Ducks Unlimited Aware of Farmers' Problems, Says Canadian Manager

Angus Gavin, general manager of Ducks Unlimited (Canada), has written the Advocate concerning a statement he allegedly made to the board of directors of Ducks Unlimited at a recent meeting in Memphis, Tennessee. The report, carried by the daily newspapers' wire service and given wide publicity, was that Mr. Gavin advocated turning millions of acres of new land in Canada into a "duck factory" and increasing the duck population by 400 per cent.

A recent Advocate editorial, based on the statement attributed to Mr. Gavin and taking him to task for advocating such measures at a time when crop damage by ducks has been so heavy, was also widely reprinted and has come to Mr. Gavin's attention at his headquarters in Winnipeg.

In his letter to the Advocate, received this week, Mr. Gavin denies making any such statement at Memphis and encloses a copy of his 1951 report which he read at the meeting.

Statements he made at Memphis were "grossly exaggerated" by some reporter at the Memphis meeting, he says, and his letter continues:

"Anyone with any sense should realize that the duck population on the North American continent is today at a very high level and possibly is very near the maximum we can adequately handle on the diminishing winter grounds in the United States and South America.

"Wtih a steadily increasing population in Canada and a tendency towards heavy agricultural development, especially so in the area we know as the parklands, it has become very necessary for Ducks Unlimited to try and save as much of our present lakes and marshes as possible so that the duck population we now have will find enough areas for breeding purposes.

"Forgetting about ducks for the moment, very few people realize the value of water to the country as a whole and many have forgotten the "Dirty 30's" when our southern prairies were a desert. Times like these will come again unless we are prepared to try and save our present water supply.

"Your own provincial government realizes this and are doing everything in their power to try and save our most valuable natural resource. Anyone who has read the history of the United States and its development should have learned a lesson on the use of water. The United States would give billions of dollars to be back in the same position as Canada is today with regard to water instead of having to spend billions of dollars on dyke and levees trying to control floods just because they drained off every marsh and lake that would have handled the natural run-off.

"In our work, one of the major problems we have to face is crop damage by ducks and everything in our power is being done in an effort to find an adequate solution. The farmer and landowner is one of the ducks best friends and I think the majority of sportsmen in Canada and the United States recognize this fact. In all our contacts with sportsmen's groups we have tried to emphasize this and hope that our teachings will bear some fruit. It is regrettable that some mis-informed reporter in Memphis should have written and published such a false and exaggerated statement at a time when duck damage and ducks were touchy subjects to the farmers".

Mr. Gavin's report and the one presented by R. M. Harley, Western Manager for Ducks Unlimited, showed that 12 new projects were completed in Alberta last year. In Alberta, Ducks Unlimited have to their credit 197,561 flooded acres of land.

The matter of duck damage has not been entirely overlooked by Ducks Unlimited, the reports show. Mr. Harley's report states that last fall duck damage became a prime issue due to the late, wet fall which prevented farmers from taking in their grain. There has been a united effort on the part of governments, farmers' groups and conservation agencies to solve the situation in a sensible manner, the report continues, and Ducks Unlimited have turned over their wealth of information on damage control to the government.

Mr. Harley's report also makes this recommendation: "That every effort should be made to find and incorporate a suitable solution to reduce duck damage to crops. We are dependent on the farmer for the future of wildlife and have to have their continued support."

An old-timer is the one who can recall when a man didn't have to do any paper work in order to farm.

Of Mice and Tires

Maybe the mice got tired of a straight wheat diet or maybe they wanted the rubber to line their nests or whatever they sleep in. Anyway when Ed Richardson, who farms near Vulcan, went out to check over his combine this spring before resuming harvest operations he found that mice had completely ruined one of the small tires at the back of the machine.

The field mice had gnawed away two large holes in the casing, one about eight inches in length and the other about 14 inches, with the sidewalls and part of the tread completely gone. Marks of the rodents' sharp little teeth are plainly evident along the edges of the holes.

Non-believers can see the evidence with their own eyes at J. T. Willard & Son's machinery agency, where the tire is now on display.

Duncan - Olsen Wedding Rites

The home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Amelia Lucas, was the setting for a quiet wedding Monday, April 21st, when Mrs. Myrtle Pauline Olsen was united in marriage with Mr. Clifford Duncan of High River.

Attending the bridal couple were Mrs. Nelsie Robertson, Vulcan, and Mr. O. Carr, Oktoks.

The bride chose for her wedding an afternoon gown of grey lace over violet, with which she wore grey accessories, and she carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Mrs. Robertson was attired in a blue afternoon gown, with matching accessories, and her bouquet was of pink carnations.

A reception for a few close friends and relatives was held following the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. Duncan left for a short honeymoon in Edmonton. On their return they will take up residence in High River.

The Weather

Warm weather with high winds have prevailed the past few days, enabling farmers to get at least some harvesting and seeding done in spite of the wet condition of the land. It was cloudy and cooler Wednesday afternoon.

U.N. Relief Hospital in Taegu, Korea

From the beginning of the conflict in Korea the United Nations has being doing the utmost to maintain the health of the civilian population. In Taegu, for instance, despite lack of facilities a school house was transformed into a relief hospital which can take care of as many as 600 in-patients. Here, in the hospital's laboratory established by the United Nations Civil Assistance Command, Erik V. Spangfort, of Denmark, instructs a Korean assistant on laboratory techniques while a Korean woman doctor makes a test.

Will Report Traffic Offenders

School Patrols Guard Children From Accidents

Sponsored provincially by the Alberta Motor Association and locally by the Vulcan Lions Club, a school patrol system has been set up at the Vulcan schools to ensure the safety of children from street accidents.

Safety lectures and instruction have been given the school children by R.C.M.P. Cpl. Jack Hurst and safety patrol leaders appointed. At the opening and closing school hours, morning and afternoon, these patrol leaders have been given the authority to direct and control motor traffic at certain intersections and are responsible for safely guiding children across the street. They have been given full authority to note and report the licence number of any car or truck violating the rules of the safety zones or breaking any normal traffic laws.

Discipline and safety of children riding the school vans also comes under the school patrol system, with two patrol leaders appointed for each van. One leader is responsible for the discipline of the children riding in the van and the second leader controls traffic and sees to the safety of the children when the vans are loading or unloading.

In an effort to have complete observance of traffic laws within the town and thus further guard against street accidents, school children will report the violation of any traffic or parking laws by motorists or truckers.

Right From The Grass Roots

During this time of year noticeable differences can be seen in the amount of growth on different grasses. Crested wheatgrass is one of our earliest, and there is sufficient green growth for pasturing at the present time. Brome grass is not quite so early, while some other grasses are considerably later. These differences are due to the different growth habits of the kinds of grass. It has been repeatedly shown at the Lethbridge Experimental Station that for any one species of grass, such as brome or crested wheatgrass, early growth can be increased or decreased depending on the use the season before. Proper management, ensures ample food storage in the roots to provide early, vigorous spring growth.

The terms 'fat grass', or "starved grass' are now being applied to vegetation, just as it is applied to stock. As the green leaves manufacture food the root system develops to supply the needed water. In this root system is stored the reserve 'fat.' If the leaves, or the manufacturing area, are continually grazed, or cropped off, the roots become starved and are greatly reduced. Under such conditions the plant is less capable of surviving severe winters or resisting drought and disease, and is certainly not in a position to make an early spring growth. Fat grass furnishes feed from two to three weeks earlier than starved grass, throughout the season it greatly out-produces the starved grass.

Continuous overgrazing is the most damaging factor for maintaining a good stand of grass. By overgrazing the 'fat' reserves are used up, the plant becomes weakened and production drops off. Good management on both range and pasture lands allows for maximum use without overgrazing.

Ross's Geese Are Becoming Scarce

Latest surveys by wildlife officials show that perhaps no more than 2,000 Ross's Geese now remain alive and Alberta is particularly concerned at the danger of extinction of this smallest, and one of the handsomest, of North American wild geese.

Ross's Goose is a small white goose with black wing-tips, scarcely larger han a big Mallard duck. The base of its reddish bill has a peculiar warty surface, from which it gets the local name of "scabby-nose" or "warty-nosed wavy". On migration it often accompanies Lesser Snow Geese, which it resembles in color, but it may be distinguished by being only about half the size of a Lesser Snow Goose. An average Ross's Goose weighs less than three lbs., compared with the average 5¼ pounds weight of a Lesser Snow Goose.

Ross's Geese breed in the Perry River area, north of the Arctic Circle, and winter in California. In their twice-yearly migrations between these places they pass through Alberta and are seldom, if ever, seen in any other Canadian province.

For some years Ross's Geese have been strictly protected in both Canada and the United States, and it is unlawful to shoot them at any time. Some of them have been shot by hunters in mistake for Lesser Snow Geese, but the difference in size between the two species is so noticeable that such mistakes should not occur. At close range the "warty" bill of Ross's Goose is a positive means of identifying it. If we are to retain this handsome and interesting bird as one of our native species of waterfowl, it is necessary that, during the autumn open season, hunters should make sure before shooting at a white goose that it is not the rare and protected Ross's Goose.

Hope For Fourth Entry

Wheatbelt League Ball Schedule Starts May 27

The annual meeting of the Wheatbelt Baseball League was held in the County Office on Sunday, April 27, with representatives from Champion, Carmangay and Vulcan in attendance.

Dr. David Nicol of Vulcan was re-elected as president and Ken Loucks of Vulcan was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Withdrawal of Brant and Picture Butte leaves only three teams in the league this year: Vulcan, Champion and Carmangay. The executive will endeavor to have Blackie or Lomond enter a team to make it a four-team league. The regular game schedule will open on May 27.

Local prospects are reported good, and it is hoped that Vulcan will field a fairly strong team this year. Frank Hess will be manager of the Vulcan team and a good turnout of players participated in the first practice last Sunday. Any one interested in baseball is asked to attend the next practice on Sunday, May 4, at 1:30 p.m.

Porter - Hyslip Rites Solemnized

A pretty wedding of interest at Lethbridge and Vulcan, was solemnized at St. Aldhelm's Church, Friday, April 25, when Rose Hermine, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hyslip of Vulcan, became the bride of Mr. Robert Donald Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter of Lethbridge, in a double-ring ceremony, Rev. J. S. Clarke officiating.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride entered the church to the strains of the Wedding March played by Mrs. Clarke, and was gowned in traditional white satin. Fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, and long lily-point sleeves, the full skirt was slightly entraine, and her full length veil fell from a coronet trimmed with dainty seed pearls. She carried an arm bouquet of American Beauty roses and wore a single strand necklace of pearls, the gift of the groom.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Anne was attired in a pale green floor length gown of net over taffeta and wore a chapel veil of the same shade, with beaded coronet. The three bridesmaids, the Misses Helen and Anne Nicol and LaRee Neville, wore pastel shaded gowns of lilac and pink, with matching chapel veils and coronets. All four attendants carried dainty old-fashioned nosegays of spring flowers, and rhinestone bracelets and ear-rings, gifts of the bride.

Attending the groom was Mr. Larry Miller of Lethbridge, while the invited guests were shown to their places by ushers Elwood Mensinger, Robert Boulton and Amond Hyslip.

During the signing of the register, Mrs. Lillian Lancaster sang "Because".

Immediately following the wedding a reception for 75 friends and relatives was held in the I.O.O.F. dining hall, catered to by the Reid Hill W.I. members. Receiving with the bridal couple were the parents of both. Mrs. Hyslip chose for her daughter's wedding a navy ensemble, with which she wore white accessories, and a corsage of pink carnations. The groom's mother was attired in a tan afternoon gown, trimmed with green, and her accessories were brown. A yellow carnation corsage completed her ensemble.

A three-tiered wedding cake centred the bride's table, flanked by bouquets of carnations and roses. During the serving Mrs. Lancaster sang two solos "I'll Walk Beside You" and "Through the Years." Mr. Clarke proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom very suitably replied.

For going away the bride changed to a tan suit, with pink and black accessories, topped by a tan shortie coat. After a short honeymoon spent at western coast points in the U.S. and Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Porter will make their home at Victoria, B.C.

Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter and Mirna, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Price, Mrs. W. Lydiard, Mr. M. C. Charlton and daughter, Aileen, Lethbridge; Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Webb and Kay of Turner Valley; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hughes and daughter, Nancy, Three Hills; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Watson and son of Strome and Mr. Robert Boulton, Lethbridge.

Hansell To Manage S.C. Campaign In B.C. Election

Ernest C. Hansell of Vulcan, Social Credit Member of Parliament for Macleod and president of the National Social Credit Association, has been elected campaign leader of the British Columbia Social Credit party and will manage their provincial election campaign.

M.P. for Macleod since 1935, Mr. Hansell said he had no intention of becoming the political leader of the party in B.C. "So long as I steer the election campaign, there will be no interference in B.C.'s affairs by the Alberta government," he said.

He plans to tour most of the west coast province before the June 12 election in B.C.

Past Deadline For Licence Plates

April 24 was the deadline for purchase of new car and truck licence plates.

No further warnings will be given by the police and car or truck owners who have not yet purchased 1952 plates are urged to do so immediately to avoid paying a fine and court costs.

Premature Babies Given Good Start On Life

The parents of two tiny morsels of humanity are rejoicing today, because, through the constant attention and love given their babies by Supervisor Miss M. Sissons and the nurses of the local hosfital, their prematurely born little ones were able to be brought home this month and are now well on the road to a normal and healthy life.

Baby Jane Ellen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Franks, was born at the Vulcan Municipal hospital, January 19, weighing 2 lbs. 2 ozs. at birth. When discharged on April 27 she weighed 5 lbs.

Baby Kenneth James, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hickey, was born February 4th and weighed 3 lbs. 9 oz. On April 13 when he was discharged, his weight had gone up to 5 lbs. 3 ozs.

At birth Baby Franks was put into the incubator and she was still in it when the Hickey baby was born. As the hospital has only one incubator the nurses were obliged to utilize an old oxygen hood and heat cradle, sometimes having to alternate the babies so that each could receive the best possible care. Oxygen was given to both for several weeks.

These babies were fed with an eye dropper every hour, to start, then bottle feedings each hour and later every two hours, with final feedings being made every three hours.

Some idea of the time and care required to bring these babies to their present fine state of health, is given in the fact that each feeding took from half an hour to a full hour to give. In actual time the care of this tiny girl and boy was the equivalent of a full day's work, for one nurse. However, the work was willingly and lovingly performed and was undertaken by several of the nursing staff.

Trucks Require Clearance Lights

R.C.M.P. have issued the following information for the guidance of truck owners who are not clear on the regulations regarding clearance lights.

Trucks in which the width of the box is 80 inches or over require the following lights at the front of the box: Two amber clearance lights at the top (one in each corner) and two amber reflectors at the bottom. At the back of the box: Two red lights at the top (one in each corner) and two red reflectors (one at each bottom corner).

All trucks with a box width of less than 80 inches are required to have a red reflector at the left-hand rear corner.

SPORTS FROM SEA TO SEA

All across Canada, sports-minded vacation planners are casting a speculative eye to the future, because summer time is outdoor sports time. Plans are already in high gear at the Canadian Pacific's coast to coast string of hotels and summer resorts which offer the ultimate in fishing, swimming and boating in fresh water or salt, golfing on some of the country's most renowned fairways, and many other forms of recreation. This beautiful water-hole at Digby Pines in Nova Scotia (top left) is a challenge to par-buster and novice alike. Following clockwise is a view of swimming at Banff Spring Hotel in Alberta, where water sports are enjoyed against a mountain backdrop. Always a zestful game, tennis is really exhilarating in the crisp mountain air of the Canadian Rockies at Banff and Lake Louise. Although found right across Canada, trout in the Rockies will prove a stern test for the angler, as well as a proud trophy, as the beauteous fishergal seems to be telling the Mountie.

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ANGLICAN PARISH OF VULCAN
Rev. E. A. Justice, Vicar
Sunday, May 4 —
11 a.m. Holy Communion and sermon in St Aldhelm's, Vulcan.
3 p.m. Evensong and sermon in St. John's, Lomond.
Note: No evening service in Vulcan, this Sunday only.

FRIGID EXTREMITY

Three polar bears were sitting on an iceberg.

"Now," said the father polar bear, "I've got a tale to tell."

"I, too," said the mother polar bear, "have a tale to tell."

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WANTED TO BUY—Used Garden Tractor in good condition only. At reasonable price. Phone R214 Lomond. 36-1c

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By-law No. 272

TOWN OF VULCAN

A By-Law to authorize the Municipal Council of the Town of Vulcan to incur an indebtedness on behalf of the said Town for the purpose of making extensions and improvements to the waterworks system.

WHEREAS according to estimates the sum of Fourteen Thousand, Eight Hundred ($14,800.00) Dollars will be required to make the said extensions and improvements to the waterworks system according to the following details:

Cost of drilling and equipping new well	$ 5,300
Purchase price and installation of 250 meters	6,500
30 new connections	3,000
	$14,800

AND WHEREAS the amount of the rateable property in the town of Vulcan according to the last revised assessment roll is $914,150.00.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the existing debenture debt of the Town of Vulcan exclusive of debts charged by way of local improvement assessment is $100,980, no part of the principal or interest thereof being in arrears,

AND WHEREAS the proposed extensions and improvements have been approved by the Department of Pulbic Health under Certificate No. 790 (1952),

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to undertake the construction and installation of the extensions and improvements to the said waterworks system,

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Town of Vulcan in Council assembled enacts as follows:

1. That the Municipal Council of the Town of Vulcan is hereby empowered and authorized to enter into such contracts and engagements for the construction and-or carrying out of the proposed extensions and improvements to the waterworks system,
2. That for the purposes aforesaid the sum of Fourteen thousand, eight hundred ($14,800.00) Dollars be borrowed from the Government of the Province of Alberta under the provisions of the Self Liquidating Projects Act by way of debenture on the credit and security of the Town of Vulcan at large, the said borrowings to be retired from the revenue from the Waterworks system,
3. That the debentures to be issued under this By-Law shall be for the said sum of $14,800. and shall be dated the 1st day of June, 1952 and shall be payable in twenty semi-annual amortized instalments of combined principal and interest of $820.15 each, payable on the 1st day of June and the 1st day of December in each year commencing with the year 1953. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 2% per annum payable semi-annually.
4. That there shall be raised in each year during the currency of the debentures by a rate sufficient therefor on all rateable property in the Town an amount sufficient to pay the debentures falling due in each such year after applying the said revenues received from the waterworks system.
5. The said debentures shall be signed by the Mayor and the Secretary-Treasurer of the said Town of Vulcan and the Secretary-Treasurer shall affix thereto the corporate seal of the Town. The coupons attached to the said debentures shall be signed by the Mayor and the Secretary-Treasurer of the Town and such signatures may be engraved or lithographed.
6. The debentures and coupons attached thereto shall be payable in lawful money of the Dominion of Canada at the Canadian Bank of Commerce in the Town of Vulcan.
7. This By-Law shall take effect from the date of the final passing thereof.

READ a first time and passed provisionally in Council assembled this 11th day of February, 1952.

APPROVED by Public Utilities Commission Board Order 13624.

W. D. ALLAN — Mayor
EDNA M. FARR — Secretary-Treasurer

NOTICE

THAT NOTICE that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed By-Law which has been introduced and which will be finally passed by the Council of the Town of Vulcan within four weeks from the assent of the proprietary electors thereto and that the votes of the said proprietary electors of the said Town for and against the said By-Law will be taken on

Monday, May 19, 1952

at the Town Office in the said Town of Vulcan between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and seven o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, and that I shall attend at the place aforesaid for the purpose of summing up the votes for and against the said By-Law at the hour of 7.00 o'clock in the afternoon of the said 19th day of May, 1952 and declare the result thereof.

Edna M. Farr
Returning Officer

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County of Vulcan No. 2
NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that there has been introduced in the Council of the County of Vulcan No. 2 the following By-Law:

BY-LAW NO. 25

A By-Law of the County of Vulcan No. 2, to authorize the purchase of the property known as Rea's Auto Shop, Vulcan, Alberta, being Lot 1, Block 32, Plan 5277 DR.

WHEREAS the Council of the County of Vulcan No. 2 deems it expedient that the County should acquire a garage and repair shop for the purpose of overhauling and maintaining its road machinery, and

WHEREAS the property known as Rea's Auto Shop situated on Lot 1, Block 32, Plan 5277 DR, Vulcan, is available at a purchase price of $8,000.00, and

WHEREAS the Council is of the opinion that the purchase price is reasonable and good value,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the County of Vulcan No. 2 enacts as follows:

That the County of Vulcan No.2 enters into an agreement with Chester Rea to purchase property described as Lot 1, Block 32, Plan 5277 DR, town of Vulcan, for the sum of $8,000.00 payable as follows:

The sum of $1,500.00 on the execution of the agreement and the sum of $1,500.00 on the 1st day of May in the year 1953, 1954 and 1955; and the balance of the purchase price, $2,000.00 on the 1st day of May 1956 with interest at the rate of 3¼ per cent per annum on the unpaid balance; and on the understanding that the Council reserves the right to complete the payments within a shorter period of time at the discretion of the Council.

READ a first and second time and provisionally passed this 18th day of April A.D. 1952.

And further, that unless within thirty days from the publication of this notice at least ten per cent of the proprietary electors of the County petition the Council to submit such by-law to the vote of the proprietary electors of the County, the council will proceed to pass the same.

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District News

ARMADA

Misses Donna and Loreen Crabb of the Reid Hill district spent their Easter vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Magella, Mary and Georgie spent the weekend in Lethbridge visiting friends.

Friends of Mrs. H. Birkeness will be sorry to learn that she has been ill and confined to the Vulcan hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rogers and family and Mrs. J. Urdal, all of Calgary are guests at the home of Mr. Joe Urdal. Cecil is assisting Joe with the harvesting.

Mrs. Betty Lee and son Dougie of Milo are visitors at the home of Betty's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stokes motored to Calgary Thursday.

Reports indicate that Mrs. I. Magnuson is quite ill and is in Calgary receiving treatments. Her many friends of the Armada district wish her a very speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Paulson and family of Claresholm were visitors of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. Paulson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Craine are guests at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Stokes.

Harvesting is rapidly proceeding with very favorable weather conditions although it will be some time before it is entirely completed. Four or five combines working in the same field is quite a common sight. Seeding in the district is general but many farmers occasionally have their tractors bog down in the soft spots and hence seek another tractor to pull them out.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Anderson were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Marks.

A few Armada residents report seeing two very brilliant lights in the sky Monday and Tuesday nights, travelling at a tremendous rate of speed. Monday night the light was first seen in the northwest travelling in a southeasterly direction at a fairly even altitude and then just north and a little west of Armada it appeared to have suddenly dropped and disappeared amongst the hills in Nelson's lease. The one reported on Tuesday night came in from the southwest and then travelled north from Armada. Reports are that they were not lights of a plane and have aroused the curiosity of several residents.

Your news correspondent would appreciate receiving any news from any of the Armada citizens.

MAJORVILLE

The nice weather of the past week has seen the commencement of seeding and resumption of harvesting operations. Wheat is reported to have deteriorated from the long winter in the swath but little damage from mice is noticed. Farmers report this is one of the ideal springs for seeding operations.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Beattie and family of Cluny were guests on Sunday at the John Bartsch home.

A son was born in Lethbridge to Mr. and Mrs. L. Jacobson (nee Harriet Heather) of Enchant.

Mr. and Mrs. Clemmons and Bert were recent visitors to Brooks, taking the Kisinger twins who had spent a month with their granparents, back home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kiemele were visitors to Cardston at the week end.

The birth of a son in Calgary to Mr. and Mrs. A. Whatmore (nee Della Greaves) is of local interest.

Dorothy Winch was a recent visitor at the Bill Kiemele home.

Word was received the forst of last week of the death in Hartell of Mr. Talmadge Scott. Mr. Scott homesteaded here in the early days and also ran a steam thresher. Giving up his homestead, he moved to Gleichen and later to Turner Valley. For a number of years he made his home in Hartell. He had been in poor health for several years. Besides his wife he is survived by six daughters, two sons, and four brothers. Funeral services were in High River. Relatives attending the funeral from here were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Greaves and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kiemele.

An accident took place on the Rocky Buttes hill when a grain truck loaded with wheat and driven by Ernie Kiemele met headon with a light delivery driven by L. Vere of Cardston. Mrs. Vere sustained a cut on the face, but fortunately no one was seriously injured. The light delivery was badly damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Clarke were in the neighborhood at the week end to arrange for the operation of their farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ost of Lomond were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Vooys

LOMOND

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Witting returned home to Lomond on Wednesday after spending the winter in Calgary. Mr. Witting spent 75 days in the Holy Cross Hospital after an accident to his foot which happened last fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Williams spent last week visiting in Calgary.

The U.G.G. held a free show in the Community Hall on Thursday, evening April 24 which was very well attended.

The Fishermen's Ball was held on Friday evening, April 25 with a very large crowd attending.

Mrs. Roy Jansen of Montana, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Soper.

Mrs. Tom Teasdale recently spent a weekend in Lethbridge visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Knodell.

The Good Will Service Club held a very successful bazaar in the Lomond Community hall on Saturday afternoon, April 19.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Norris Hanna recently spent several days visiting their daughter and family in Red Deer, Alta.

The Lomond Community Club held their April meeting at the home of Mrs. Henry Huff. Ten members were present, also one visitor. A paper on Spring Fashions was given by Mrs. Leonard Huff. Contest honors went to Mrs. Ivy Goldthorpe and the consolation prize to Mrs. F. Hart. The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Liebrich are now the proud owners of a new Pontiac car which they purchased when away on their Easter holiday.

Mrs. William Frost

Word was received here Friday of the passing of Mrs. William (Fanny Susan) Frost. Mrs. Frost was 73. She died in the Holy Cross hospital. Rev. C. M. Starr officiated at the funeral services held on Monday at 2:45 p.m. in Jacques Funeral Home. Burial was made in Queen's Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Frost was born in Brightling, Sussex, England. She came to Calgary in 1912. Moved to Vulcan four years later and to Lomond in 1920. Mrs. Frost was a member of the St. John's Anglican Church in Lomond and an enthusiastic church worker. She will be deeply mourned by the community.

Besides her husband she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Floyd Sande of Lomond. two sons Philip of Calgary and Reginald of Lomond. Three grandchildren, a sister, Mrs. Chester French of Brightling, three brothers, James of Kent, England, Harry of Queens land, Australia and Albert of Winnipeg, Man.

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Wiest - McAllister

St. Augustine's Church in Lethbridge was the setting for a quiet but pretty wedding on Saturday, April 12 when wedding vows were exchanged between Marjory June, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McAlister, Lomond, and Philip Stanley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wiest of Enchant. Rev. Grant performed the ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of white lace and net embroidered with seed pearls. Her shoulder length veil fell from a coronet of pearls. She carried a bouquet of red roses.

Bridesmaid was Miss Marion McAlister of Vulcan. Her gown was of blue net. She wore a matching coronet in her hair and carried red roses.

The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Reggie Wiest of Enchant

Following the ceremony a reception for the immediate families was held at the Rose Room.

For travelling the bride wore a grey gabardine suit with green accessories. Following a brief honeymoon the bride will resume her duties as teacher in the Hudson School at Purple Springs until the end of the term.

ARROWWOOD

The F.W.U.A. Ladies sponsored a drive the 9th of April to get eggs for the Crippled Children's Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. F. Hall took charge of packing all the eggs and getting them shipped. They considered their drive very successful as they collected 120 dozen eggs.

Mrs. Ray Gaetz and baby daughter have now moved to Arrowwood to join her husband who works for Mr. A. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Fonger spent a day visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Phillips of Arrowwood last week.

On the graduating list from Olds this year were Glenn King and James Norton. Also Mr. Bill Steiner won a $75 scholarship. Congratulations, boys.

Miss Fern Williams had a birthday party on the afternoon of April 21 when she entertained all the girls from her class at school.

Mrs. R. Newby and small son are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Hill for a short time.

A great many of the Arrowwood district's men attended the bull sale in Calgary. Some bought bulls and others were there just to see how the prices went and see the type of animals up for sale.

The F.W.U.A. held their regular meeting on Wednesday, April 16. They voted the proceeds from the play held in Queenstown to the Cancer Drive. Also there will be someone canvassing in the Post Office on mail days for the Cancer Drive. Mrs. Ruth McBride gave a very interesting book review on autobiography of Lloyd C. Douglas. Also plans were made for Miss Mewha's demonstration of "Supper Dishes" to be held on May 7 at 2 o'clock. Also an exchange and sale of bulbs, seeds, and plants will be held at this meeting. Everyone is invited to attend. A lovely lunch was served by Mrs. L. M. Williams and Mrs. D. Richards.

Pte. Chester Beagle of the R.C.E.M.E. and his family were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Beagle, and relatives and friends in this district prior to his embarkment for overseas.

Mrs. Effie Norton had a tea at her home on Saturday, April 19 when she entertained the Shouldice Ladies and for their benefit demonstrated the making of an Angel Food cake.

A wedding of interest to this district took place in Edmonton recently, when Mrs. E. Davidson, nee Eleanor Hill, was united in marriage to Mr. Melvin H. Reaugh at St. Stephen's Chapel. The reception was held at the Cathyan. Mr and Mrs. Reaugh journeyed to Banff on their honeymoon and on their return will make their home in Devon, Alta.

VANCOUVER NAVY WORK REACHES $43 MILLIONS

A new estimated $500,000 naval contract for B.C. yards brings total Canadian Navy work here to an estimated $43 millions.

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Champion

Miss Jean Patterson has returned to her home in town after completing her course at Normal School in Calgary. She has accepted a position at the Savoy Hotel.

Mrs. David Rupp of Calgary is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rupp for a few days.

Rod MacLeod has re-enlisted in the R.C.A.F. as Flying Officer and will leave for Rivers, Man. very shortly. His family will remain in town until school is dismissed in June.

The W.A. met at the home of Mrs. Robert Maxwell on Thursday, April. 24, with 17 members present. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Latiff, Mrs. Miller presided. The Sunshine committee reported sending cards to shut-ins and hospital patients. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Christensen, with Mrs. Hegland and Mrs. Chamberlin serving.

Mrs. Baillie was called to her home in Olds last week owing to the death of her father, Mr. Kurten.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Warren of Calgary were district visitors last week.

Oscar Sletto brought Wm. Bozarth, who has been a patient in Calgary General Hospital, to the Vulcan Municipal Hospital, where he will remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown and family have moved into the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cartwright. Mr. Brown is employed at the Emil Anderson Construction Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Matlock were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Matlock.

Diane Lundberg is confined at home with the measles.

Mrs. Alf Fleetwood has been quite ill with the scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Frame were weekend visitors at the Diemert home.

Little Sylvia Matlock is a patient in the hospital at Lethbridge.

Mervyn Smith is confined to his home with the measles.

Mrs. Rachel Taylor and daughter Joyce spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bloxham.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Allen and Lorne spent the weekend visiting in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tait, Mr. R. S. Tait of North Vancouver, and Mrs. Jack Cosens of White Rock, B.C. were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Carlson for several days last week.

W. I. Harris has returned home from the East where he took delivery of a new DeSoto.

Mrs. Lawson has enlarged her coffee shop, and is now re-opened for business.

Michael Kelly has rented the Champion Meat Market, and will take over this business May 1. Mr. Kelly has been employed for the past year as first meat cutter in the Super-Market in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McDougall attended the recent bull sale in Calgary. Two of their entries, Lorne Real's D14E-309866-Reserve Junior Champion and Lorne Real's D13E-309865-4th prize in class, sold for $1600 and $1050 respectively. Mr. McDougall received an average price of $1030 for a string of seven bulls.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Friztler were Lethbridge visitors last Tuesday.

Mr. Worthington is moving his family from Didsbury this week. They will occupy a building at the Emergency Field at Champion for a short time.

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Merkel - Loose

The Full Gospel Church, Calgary, was the scene of a pretty Easter wedding, when Alma Jerrilyn Loose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Loose of Empress, Alberta, was united in marriage with Mr. Norman George Merkel, son of Mrs. George Merkel and the late Mr. Merkel of Herronton.

Baskets of spring flowers and fern decorated the altar for the double-ring service at which Rev. F. J. Kosick officiated. The bride entered the church on the arm of her father, wearing a white satin brocaded gown, styled with a nylon net yoke accented with lace and pearls and lily-pointed sleeves. The skirt was over crinoline and caught up at the hemline to show an underskirt of tiered chantilly lace. Her finger-tip length veil was held in place by a headdress of seeded pearls. Her only jewellery was a double strand of pearls, a gift of the groom, and she carried a bouquet of American Beauty Roses.

Attending the bride were her sister, Miss Esther Loose, wearing a formal gown of green taffeta overlaid in lace and Miss Evelyn Taft, wearing a floor-length gown of pink taffeta, also overlaid in lace. Matching hats and gloves and rhinestone necklaces completed their ensembles and they carried bouquets of spring flowers. Little Miss Karen Loose, cousin of the bride, was a charming flower girl in a yellow taffeta gown trimmed with rows of matching lace. She wore yellow flowers in her hair and carried a bouquet of assorted spring flowers.

Attending the bridegroom was Mr. Melvin Loose, brother of the bride, and the guests were ushered to their pews by Mr. Leonard Anderson and Mr. Harold Robinson, both of Blackie The soloist was Miss Lavina Morrison, who sang "O Perfect Love" and "Because" during the signing of the register. Miss Myrtle Meyer of Edmonton played the wedding music.

A reception was held at the Club Cafe where Mrs. Loose and Mrs. Merkel, mothers of the bridal couple, received the 75 guests. For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Loose chose a navy dress with a corsage of yellow roses and Mrs. Merkel also wore navy with a corsage of pink roses. Rev. F. J. Kosick proposed the toast to the bride and later Mr. and Mrs. Merkel left to spend their honeymoon in Great Falls, the bride travelling in a cinnamon brown suit with matching topcoat and green accessories.

Upon their return the couple will reside at Herronton, Alberta.

Out-of-town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Larratt and Miss Myrtle Meyer, Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Schierman, Vulcan; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Allen and Lorne, Champion; Rev. and Mrs. Airhart, Coaldale; Rev. and Mrs. Beeston, Mr. and Mrs. W. Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. H. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Len Anderson, Blackie; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. J. Egli of Herronton.

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Hugh Michael

Price Support For Beef

As recently announced in Parliament, the Federal Government has agreed to establish a floor price on cattle until the United States embargo on Canadian cattle and beef shipments is removed. This price, until July, will be on the basis of $25.00 per hundredweight for good steers at Toronto, Montreal and Moncton, $23.35 at Winnipeg, $22.80 at Saskatoon, $22.55 at Edmonton and Calgary and $23.30 at Vancouver. At the beginning of June a floor price for the month of July will be announced, and at the beginning of each month thereafter, the floor price for the next month will be announced in order that the producer may know what the floor price on his cattle will be for the next two months.

In 1951, Canada exported about 400,000 head of cattle either as cattle or beef, for which no outside market is at present available although it is hoped that domestic consumption will increase with the lower consumer prices for beef. If the market is over supplied, it means the price to producers will remain at the floor. With the fixing of a floor price, it will be possible for the producer to market his cattle in an orderly manner with only finished cattle reaching the market, and if this is done, the producer may expect to sell his cattle without undue market gluts and may, from time to time, receive prices higher than the floor.

There are various reasons why it will be in the best interests of the cattle industry to delay the marketing of cattle while he United States embargo is still in effect, and attention is drawn to the following:

1. When the American embargo is lifted, that market will again be available.
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3. The establishment of a floor price means the producer will always be in a position to obtain a minimum price for the grade of animals which he has to market until such time as the U.S. embargo is lifted. It is possible that the extra feeding with the resulting weight gain may improve the grade and therefore increase the gains to the producer.
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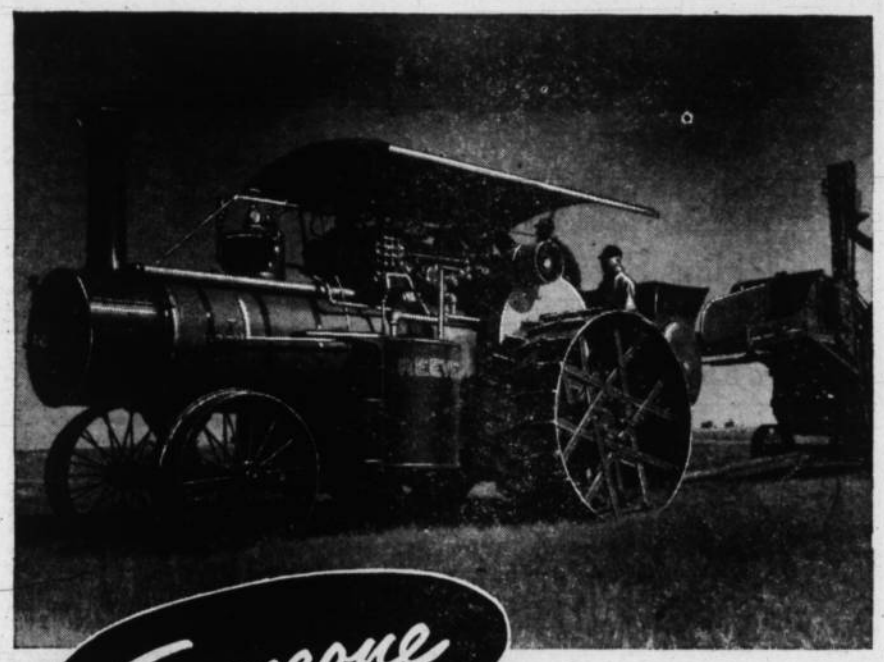

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History Of Farm Electrification In Alberta

(Continued from last week)

Here is a Brief Outline of How Rural Electrification Co-Operative Associations are Formed

In the very beginning a few farmers in a district start talking about the possibility of getting farm electrification in their area. This usually results in a letter or a trip to the power company. Here the committee is advised to, first of all, try and decide the boundaries of the possible area to be covered in the project. After this has been done a general meeting is called to which every farmer within the boundaries of the area is invited to attend. If the results of this meeting indicate that a sufficient number of farmers in the district are interested in getting the power then a decision may be to form a co-operative association.

First a provisional board of directors is appointed and this provisional board should consist of not less than five people and seven is preferred. (Under the Co-operative Association Act any ten people may form an Association.) From this first general meeting volunteers are called for, to canvass and accurately locate the farms of all those who are interested in receiving electric service. Application forms for this purpose are supplied by the power company with a place provided to indicate the legal description of the land. On the back of the form there is a two-section map whereon farm buildings, where service is to be provided, can be accurately located, with the distance from road allowances and section lines indicated.

When the application forms with the necessary information marked thereon are collected and returned to the power company, maps of the area are prepared and an estimate of the probable average cost per member is made. A general meeting of all members is then called to see if the estimated cost is acceptable to the majority. If the meeting votes in favor of going ahead, a small deposit is collected from all the prospective members to signify their good intentions of taking the service. Later, a full share is collected from those who wish to pay in cash, while others may pay the minimum amount which can be accepted from the members and it also sets the maximum period over which the unpaid balance may be financed.

Here the Alberta Government assists the Associations by guaranteeing repayment of a loan of up to 50 per cent of the total estimated cost of an association's project. By having the Provincial Government guarantee the repayment of the loan, an association may then borrow that amount of money from one of the Treasury Branches, or from a Bank at the low interest rate of 3½ per cent. This method works out very well because while some of the farmers may pay the whole amount, or more than 50 per cent of their share, others may not wish to pay more than the minimum. However, by balancing one against the other there has been no difficulty in raising the 50 per cent required from the Association Memberships.

From here on it is a matter of negotiation and co-operation with the power company charged with responsibility of the construction. Many of the farmers take the opportunity of working out part of their share cost in labor in the actual construction of the system.

Mr. F. J. Fitzpatrick, Supervisor of Co-operative Activities and Credit Unions, under the Department of Industries and Labor of the Alberta Government, is usually called in when the Co-operative is to be formed, and he willingly gives his assistance and advice.

After the lines have been constructed and farms connected, the final actual cost on a non-profit basis is determined. In most cases the estimated cost is somewhat higher than the actual cost and a refund to the Association is made. The reason the estimated cost is often higher than the actual cost is due to the co-operation received from the farmers and the fact that more farmers in the area take the power than is actually indicated in the first instance. When a farmer sees his neighbors getting the power he often changes his mind—with a little gentle persuasion from the Mrs.—and decides to go along with the others and get the power too.

This is a very sketchy explanation of the steps to be followed to form a Rural Electrification Co-operative Association and receive service. However, if anyone wishes to have explicit details, Calgary Power will be glad to supply the information.

What of the Future?

The co-operative method of farm electrification now being carried out in Alberta is the best and most popular system. Under this plan the farmers who are concerned make the decisions themselves. They decide whether or not electric service is economically beneficial to them, in a free choice. Also, the farmers in co-operation with each other, and in co-operation with those who carry out the actual construction work, can, and do, assist materially in keeping construction cost to a minimum.

The farmers are proud of their efforts and have a great feeling of accomplishment when a project is completed and the lights are turned on. They know that the people of the Province will have to pay for Rural Electrification in the long-run, either directly or indirectly. Those who through their own initiative have achieved this goal are very jealous of their position and would not stand for an increase of rate to subsidize projects which are too costly by virtue of the fact that the service was being extended to too sparsely settled areas.

There are some people in the Province who suggest that the Alberta Government take over the power companies and provide electrification to farms at no construction charge to the farmers. Let's examine the facts to see just exactly what these people mean.

To electrify all the farms in Alberta would cost somewhere about two hundred million dollars. (More than double the present total provincial debt). If only 75 per cent of the farms were to be electrified the cost would be between one hundred and twenty-five million, and one hundred and fifty million dollars. This amount has to be paid back with interest either by way of the rates charged for power or by taxation.

It is estimated that 75 per cent of the farms in the Province would use less than 5 per cent of the power generated in the Province. Yet the cost of providing farm lines, transformers and so forth would equal if not exceed the cost of providing power to all other customers in all the cities, towns or villages, including industries, in the province. How could the rates charged for 5 per cent of the power used pay for half the total cost of power in the province? It just couldn't. The farmers could not afford to use the power at the rates which would have to be charged. So, to provide farm electrification without construction charge to the farmers would mean an increase in taxes—everybody's taxes. Such has been the case in other provinces—something which is rarely mentioned.

Service to the farmers supplied by Calgary Power and other power companies is supplied at cost. The farmer does not pay any of the first cost of the transmission line from whence the service to his area originates, but because he does pay for the actual rural lines, he enjoys a low energy rate for the power he uses.

Calgary Power's program calls for the extending of service to 3,000 farms per year over the next several years. Canadian Utilities and Northland Utilities also have projects on something about the same ratio per mile of transmission line. With the trained manpower, equipment and supplies available, this is the maximum number of farms which could be connected each year by any agency. The saturation point is far in the future and plans are laid well ahead to keep pace with the program.

During the last year Calgary Power and Farm Electric Services purchased almost 37,000 poles. This represents about 300 carloads. It also represents every pole which could be purchased from all suppliers during the year. With the farm electrification, transmission line, and distribution system expansion program now going on all across Canada and in the United States, the suppliers of poles and many other items of material just cannot keep up with the demand. It is the hope that this situation will soon improve.

Rural Electrification to new areas is going ahead on schedule. As time goes on more transmission lines will be built by the power companies in new locations and many of these are now in the planning stage. This will advance Farm Electrification because it will bring central station service close to areas where supplying service to such areas now, because of their remoteness from present transmission lines, would be very costly.

There is another partner in the Farm Electrification Co-operative Association plan whom we haven't mentioned. It is the farmer's wife. She has been one of the most effective forces in the successful progresses which has been made. Not only has she been enthusiastic in supporting the forming of the associations but in many cases she has provided the good meals for the construction crews at reasonable cost. Mrs. Farmer gets her reward when the power is turned on. She then has the opportunity of obtaining all the household appliances to take much of the drudgery out of household tasks.

It is gratifying to note that recognition is given, in the farm sale market, to the investment made by farmers in getting farm electrification. Under the "Farms for Sale" heading in the newspapers it is noticeable that farms with electrification command a much higher price than those without electrification. The difference in price is more than double the amount of money the farmers have invested in line construction costs and building wiring costs to get the power.

Farmers, through Rural Electrification Co-operative Associations are accomplishing a job in a successful way which could not be accomplished as well or at as reasonable cost by any other agency—and doing it themselves without calling on the taxpayer's money for help.

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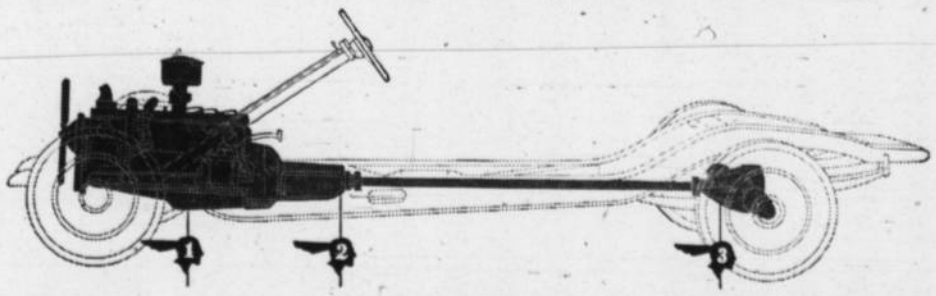

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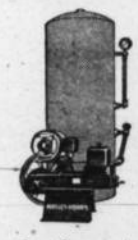

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Carmangay

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Plourd of Vulcan, but who are very shortly leaving for Creston, B.C. were guests at the home of Mrs. J. Gower and relatives near Carmangay.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb of Vancouver, B.C. were guests at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hauser and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fraser were Lethbridge visitors on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Kiss of Buck Lake, Alta. were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Laczo Sr.

Mrs. Chris Egger of Lethbridge has been visiting at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Egger.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jansen of Chico, Calif., have purchased the home and land of V. Christensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Sorenson of Magrath have been guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Plourd Jr.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Nelson over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jensen of Drumheller.

Miss Beverly Burgess of Calgary spent the weekend with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. McLeod adn Tom were Lethbridge visitors on Saturday.

Much of the harvesting, held over from last fall has been completed. With the dry weather lasting, the grain had dried.

Bob Needham of Rimbey, Alta., was a weekend visitor in town.

Mrs. Dorothy Mansfield of Grande Prairie has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Miller.

We wish to express the sympathy of the community to Mrs. K. R. Miller, at the loss of her uncle, O. J. Scott of Travers.

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North Priscilla Club

Ten members of the North Priscilla Club met with Mrs. Connie Stettner on Wednesday. The roll call was answered with an exchange of plant slips. Plans were discussed to entertain neighboring clubs. Mrs. Barbara Egger won the hostess prize. After the business meeting closed, bingo was enjoyed with Mrs. Frank Bates winning the most games. The hostess then served a delicious lunch assisted by Mrs. Barbara Egger.

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East Hospital Auxiliary

Mrs. Richard Fraser was hostess to the East Auxiliary last Thursday. The group planned to make a quilt which will be raffled at a later date.

The next meeting at Mrs. Connie Stettner the group will tease and card wool for the quilt, so members please bring your carders.

The raffle was won by Mrs. Syd Thompson. The hostess then served a delicious lunch bringing a pleasant afternoon to a close.

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Town Hospital Augiliary

Nine members of the Main Auxiliary met in the town office on Monday. Plans were made to make dresser scarfs for the hospital.

The East Auxiliary donated $25 to the Club. Mrs. A. Roemmele won the raffle. Meetings from now on will be held the third Tuesday of every month. Everybody is welcome.

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Barn Dance

The Lions' Barn Concert and Dance was well attended on Friday evening in the Community Hall.

There were some very outstanding numbers such as the tap dances by Linda Flitton, and the three numbers by the Lloyd Sisters, the solo of Mrs. Paul Plourd, Bill Sparks and the accordian selections by Mr. Degenstein of Champion. All numbers were greatly enjoyed by the audience as the applause showed.

The latter part of the evening was enjoyed in dancing to the Little Orchestra of Champion.

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Thank You

Mrs. Gertrude Rosenkranj would like to thank all her friends for cards and gifts sent to her while a patient in the hospital, also for the many visits she received. 37lp

Seasonal Pastures For The Prairies

Western Canada's prairie pastures do not grow fast during the spring. They need protection until mid-June. Thus, it is a sound practice to establish supplementary pastures for this season.

Two acres of crested wheatgrass per cow will provide pasturage for May and early June during most years. These pastures can be heavily grazed during this period without reducing their yields the following spring. However, if crested wheatgrass is grazed through July and August, there will be less grass the next year. Experiments show that the yield will be reduced by as much as 150 pounds per acre, or about one-third of the total growth before mid-June.

Two acres of crested wheatgrass per cow provides sufficient spring pasture for the Swift Current district. However, a slightly larger acreage should be provided in drier regions, while somewhat less is sufficient for northern prairie areas.

Experiments are underway to test the value of supplementary pastures for other seasons. It has been demonstrated that oats will provide excellent midsummer and late fall grazing, while two new grasses—Russian wild rye grass and Intermediate wheatgrass—are valuable supplementary pastures during the same periods.

However, the spring is of greatest importance, and supplementary pastures for this season should be developed first. Information regarding recommended crops seed bed preparation, dates, rates and depths of seeding, seed supply and grazing practices can be obtained from the nearest Experimental Farm, Provincial University, or Agricultural Representative.

Planting For Modern Homes

Gardening fashions change with changes in architecture and living habits. So, with the increasing use of the automobile in winter and the advent of the "ranch house" on fifty foot lots, our ideas of suitable planting must change.

The principles of using plants to extend the lines of the house so that house and garden form one harmonious picture and of providing special interest at strategic points, still hold firm, says R. W. Oliver, Division of Horticulture, Central Experimental Farms, Ottawa. The only change comes in the type and size of plant used to achieve the end result.

Winter driving requires snow to be piled high near drives and streets. Evergreen plantings, except a few low spreaders like Japanese yew and horizontal juniper, will not stand such treatment. Instead of groups of all or middle height shrubs at the corners of intersecting roads, we must now use low spreading shrubs, or herbaceous things like peonies. The most suitable hedge for such a spot is amur river privet formerly considered too tender for any place colder than Toronto. It is stiff and snow piled on top acts as a good protection against winter.

Most of our formerly popular shrubs are too tall to be used around the low spreading, flat roofed bungalows that are being built. Planting may be done further from the walls to avoid the drip from overhanging eaves. Low mounded or spreading forms seem to be more suitable than more erect ones.

Among evergreens the rounded forms of mugo pine and globe cedar, the spreading forms mentioned above, and the broad pyramids of dwarf varieties of spruce are the most suitable. The broad windows, close to the ground require low spreading ground covers to be used, such as pachysandra in shade or horizontal cotoneaster and Euonymus vegeta in sun. Low clipped hedges of barberry, Korean box or alpine currant are effective and match the house lines well.

As with all changes, says Mr. Oliver, it will take us some time to adjust ourselves to these new fashions and in the process mistakes may occur. It is always wise to plan carefully on paper before doing the actual planting.

Stop, Thief!

"The fertility of your soil is like a bank account. You can't keep taking it out, without putting some back in." In these few simple words one of Canada's banking institutions has summed up soil conservation.

Before man began to farm the land, nature kept her bank account in order, making every effort to maintain a proper balance. Since then the balance of nature has been upset and the soil of many farms is on the debit side of the ledger. By proper farming practices, which include rebuilding the soil by turning under green crops and plant residues, by adding manures and fertilizers, it is possible, not only to keep the soil in a condition of solvency, but also to increase its value.

This alone is not enough. Just as banks must provide safe keeping for the financial assets of their customers, so too must the farmer make sure that his greatest asset, the soil, is not in danger of being carried away by stealth.

The most insidious robber of the soil is known as "Water Erosion." His brother "Wind Erosion' is usually more open in his criminal operations. Where he works there usually are clouds of dust to warn of his presence. But the deeds of "Water Erosion" often pass unnoticed until it is too late to arrest him.

The Lethbridge Experimental Station, long aware of the irreparable damage caused by water erosion, has been active in developing and demonstrating measures which can be used to keep this thief in check. Grassed waterways contour farming, trash covers on fallows, permanent pastures, and cover crops are among the methods that are being used to good effect.

On many irrigated farms there is a serious weakness in the defences against water erosion which is often overlooked. This takes the form of excess irrigation water. While great care usually is taken to apply water to the fields in sufficient quantity and at the most suitable time, too often little or no thought is given to the water that is not used.

Irrigation water that runs off the fields, that flows unchecked and unused through the farm to the waste ditches, for days or for weeks, carries with it particles of soil and organic matter or if it soaks through the soil it leaches out plant food which will be lost forever.

Now, before the season starts, is the time to make plans which will ensure that water erosion will not rob our farmland of its most precious asset, the soil.

Champion News

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Deal, Vivien and Elmer, accompanied by Don Steeves, spent Sunday in Calgary visiting friends and Mr. Deal's mother.

Archie Ruggles from Lethbridge spent Sunday in town with relatives.

The earthquake in British Columbia on March 14, was sufficiently severe to close all the trap nests at the Saanichton Station poultry plant.

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BABY CLINICS

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HIGHWOOD AREA

NANTON Community Centre, 1st Tues. in each month—10 a.m. to 12 noon and 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

HIGH RIVER—Foothills Health Unit, 2nd Tuesday of each month—2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Each Saturday morning 9:30 to 12 noon.

BLACKIE—Masonic Hall, 3rd Tuesday of each month—2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

OKOTOKS—Elks Hall, 4th Tuesday each month—2 to 4:00 p.m.

VULCAN AREA

MILO—Municipal Office, 1st Wednesday of each month—1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

CHAMPION—Village Office, 1st Friday of each month—1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

VULCAN—United Church, 2nd Friday of each month—1:30 p.m to 3:30 p.m.

ARROWWOOD—U.F.A. Hall, 3rd Friday of each month—1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

CARMANGAY—Village Office, 4th Friday of each month—1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

TURNER VALLEY AREA

TURNER VALLEY—United Church Hall, 1st Thursday of each month—1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

BLACK DIAMOND—United Church, 2nd Thursday of each month, 1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

ROYALTIES—W. I. Hall, 3rd Thursday of each month—2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

LONGVIEW—Aux. Services Hall, 4th Thursday of each month—2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

These well-baby clinics are held for the purpose of weighing and measuring infants and toddlers, and discussing with parents any problems regarding feeding, training, and general care. Inoculations for Diphtheria, Whooping Cough & Tetanus, & Smallpox vaccinations are given after 6 months of age. There is no charge at these clinics, which are a service of the Foothills Health Unit.

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District News

QUEENSTOWN

Friends of the following people will be sorry to hear they are ill. Mrs. Stanley Brown who is confined to the Vulcan Hospital with flu; Mrs. Alex Johnson in the Holy Cross, Calgary, and Mrs. Pete Soli is confined to her bed at her sisters, Mrs. H. Bjelland, Calgary. Mr. Alva Clemons is in the Bassano Hospital.

The new Wheat Pool Agent Mr. Deane Cofell and his family of McLeod have taken up residence in the Pool house.

United Church Services will be resumed for the summer on Sunday, May 4, at 1 o'clock, and Sunday school at 12. The new student minister, Mr. Keith Brown, is from Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kingsmith and Mrs. George Kingsmith of Calgary were visitors at Soli's last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Service and family of Red Deer were guests at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Orden Lahd.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Elliott of Sundre, are visiting with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Yuill.

The P.F.R.A. are going to put a drainage ditch from Smoke Lake, in order to drain the farm land that has been flooded the last few years from spring runoffs. It will run into Indian Lake.

KIRKCALDY

Miss Marion Munro of Calgary spent the weekend with her parents.

Darrel Maisey of Ensign was home for the weekend.

Morley Scobie and Brian were Cayley visitors on Sunday.

William Munro and Evan motored to Calgary last Thursday.

Please phone your news items to your correspondent at R1022.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hummel were Nobleford visitors over the weekend.

The Boys' Club met at the school on Saturday with 12 members and two visitors present. The supervisor, Darrel Maisey was present. The Kirkcaldy Wildcats was the name chosen for their club. The next meeting will be held in two weeks.

Kirkcaldy W.I.

The Kirkcaldy W.I. met at the home of Mrs. William Munro on Thursday with eight members and two visitors present, Miss Janet Ware presiding. Garden Hints were give nfor the roll call.

Darrel Maisey was appointed as the Supervisor of the Boys' Club, an assistant to be chosen at a later date.

Mrs. Williams gave a very informative and interesting talk on Agriculture, her topic being the FAO branch of the United Nations

Mrs. Donald MacKay read her report on the District conference in Lethbridge. The tea raffle was won by Mrs. Clements.

A tasty lunch was served by the hostess concluded the meeting.

BERRYWATER

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Douglass were Lethbridge visitors the latter part of the week.

N. K. Budd was a business visitor to Calgary on Monday.

Chester Wickstrom of Calgary spent the weekend at the Stan Wickstrom home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Smith and small son, Robert of Calgary spent the weekend in the district.

Leslie Richardson was a Calgary business visitor last week.

Lloyd and Leona Jones attended a birthday party for small Peter Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reg Walker in Vulcan recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and Dave were Calgary visitors last week, where they went to watch their horse, competing in the jumping events, at the Calgary Horse show.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sheepy of Calgary visited at the weekend at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Richardson, after spending the first week of their holidays at Great Falls, Mont.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my thanks to Dr. Tompkins and all my friends and neighbors who assisted in getting me to Calgary at the time of my illness. Their efforts and kindness were greatly appreciated.

—F. N. BERTSCHY, Majorville.

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All Gasoline Pumps in Vulcan will close at 6:15 p.m. on week-days, except Saturdays, and will remain closed on Wednesday afternoons, Sundays and holidays, with the exception of the service station named above, which will remain open until 8:00 p.m. every day for one week and will be open from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. on Sunday and holidays, commencing

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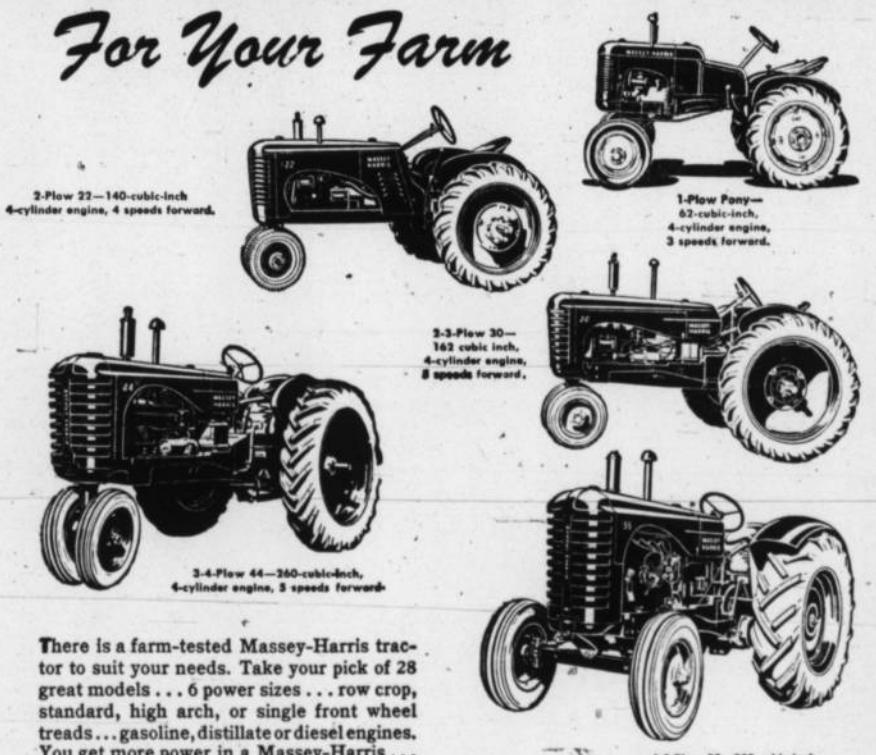

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Brief Items of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill were Calgary visitors the first of the week.

A number of members of the local Legion Auxiliary motored to Claresholm Wednesday of last week, to attend the Auxiliary Zone Rally there. Provincial president, Mrs. Margaret Dexter and provincial secretary, Mrs. Eileen Faggeter were present, as well as Zone Commander, Mrs. Smith and Alderman Mrs. Mary Dover of Calgary. Splendid addresses by these ladies were enjoyed by all present, and the Claresholm members had arranged a very fine program for the afternoon.

K. Roy McLean, Optometrist, of Calgary, will be in Vulcan at King's Drug Store on Monday, May 12, from 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Consult Mr. McLean in his Calgary office, 1014 Greyhound Bldg., daily except Monday. 36-3

Mrs. Howard St. Peter and two young children will occupy the McAfee suite until the end of the current school term, when they will join Mr. St. Peter at Melford, Sask.

Mrs. J. B. Morley of Calgary spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Engen, and renewed acquaintances in town.

Miss Eileen Bride of Calgary was a weekend visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bride.

Mrs. Frieda McRoberts has returned to her home after spending the weekend with her daughter Mrs. Kathleen Doeling, at Edmonton. She was accompanied to the northern city by her granddaughter, Little Linda Doeling, who spent the Easter vacation with her here.

Friends of Mrs. Roy Adam will be pleased to learn that she has sufficiently recovered from her brief stay in the Vulcan hospital, to return home.

B. J. S. Tharp of Calgary, Optomertist, will be in Vulcan at Mitchell's Drug Store on Saturday, May 3, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. 2

Mrs. Eunice Phillips of Calgary was a business visitor to Vulcan on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson and two small daughters will move to High River this week, where Mr. Johnson will open his own Plumbing Shop.

Mr. N. Dodson of Nanton took the services at the Vulcan Church of Christ on Sunday. Mr. Chapman preached the morning service at Nanton and the afternoon service at Taber.

Sunday guests at the C. Zahnd home were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Southworth and daughter of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. J. Schauerman of Champion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Stapley and family were Sunday visitors to Nanton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Loxton and Mrs. E. Jackson spent Sunday at High River.

Miss Ruth Brett has joined the staff of the local telephone office.

Eric Deimert of Medicine Hat is engaged for the summer months at the farm of Mr. and Mrs. J. Schierman, Sr.

Bill Peterson of Calgary was a Vulcan visitor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Armey of Calgary are at present attending farm interests in the district and are at the home of their son, Ed, north of town. Friends of the Armeys will be interested to know they recently moved into their new home in Calgary.

Miss Vera Maetche of Medicine Hat is now employed at the King Drug store.

Mrs. W. E. Woodward of Calgary is a guest this week at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Merv McIntyre.

Don Whiteman, who has been attending the University of Saskatchewan, renewed acquaintances here the first part of the week, enroute to the coast, where he will spend the next month with his parents. Don, who was the swimming instructor at the Memorial Pool last season, will return to assume the same duties for this summer, on June 1st.

Friends of Miss Betty Hammer will be sorry to learn that she has been confined to her home for the past two weeks, suffering from an attack of scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. DeJong Sr. and son Dick, of Iron Springs spent Sunday with their family at the Vulcan Bakery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fowler of Calgary were Sunday guests at the Charles Budd home.

Mr. and Mrs. A Nafziger spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Schierman.

Mrs. Margaret Dobbs spent several days in Calgary recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin of Claresholm were weekend visitors at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Matlock were Calgary weekend visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bride were business visitors to Drumheller last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elves of Calgary renewed acquaintances here this week.

Milton Scales has returned from a short holiday spent in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McDannold of Calgary recently visited in Vulcan and district.

Allan Clark of Calgary is at present assisting his brother, Ralph, with farming operations.

Mrs. George Shedler, the former Miss Anne Gibson of the local nursing staff, was a guest last week at the Nurses' Home and at the hospital.

Guests at the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Lloyd were Miss Evelyn Linklater and Miss Muriel Duff-Beyer, both of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stacey of Blackie were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Andrews.

Mrs. Steve Horeth was a recent Calgary viistor.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilhart and baby daughter have returned to their farm in the district after spending the winter months at Wetaskiwin.

Friends of Mrs. A. MacDonald will be pleased to learn she has returned from Calgary where she underwent medical treatment at the Holy Cross hospital.

Rev. E. A. Justice attended the consecration and enthronement services of the Rt. Rev. George Calvert, Bishop of Calgary, last week, at the Pro Cathedral of the Redeemer. Officiating at the consecration was Most Rev. L. Ralph Sherman, Archbishop of Rupert's Land.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter and Helen; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. A. Grove, Mr. and Mrs. P. Simpson Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. A. Knive, accompanied by the Vulcan Brownies, of whom Mrs. Grove is the leader, attended the official opening of the new Scout hall, at Lethbridge on Sunday. Present at the unveiling was Lady Baden-Powell wife of the Scout and Cub founder and herself founder of the Guide and Brownie movement. All present enjoyed meeting this world renowned lady, who, despite her advanced years was most active and interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Willard, who have spent the past several months holidaying in Florida, returned to their home here on Saturday.

Congratulations are being offered Mr. and Mrs. Herb Marsh on the birth of a son, Tuesday, April 29th, at the local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rea were business visitors to Calgary the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kettleson of Calgary were Sunday visitors at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neville.

Master Bruce West of Lomond spent last week at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lynch.

Miss Shirley Lynch spent Easter week in Calgary.

Miss Mary Verigen visited at her home and in Calgary during the week.

Friends of Mrs. J. J. Kelly will regret to learn of the death of her mother, Mrs. Laura Johnson, at Pennant, Sask., on April 24. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly journeyed to Pennant to attend the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs Scott Wighton and two daughters, Betty and Donna, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Somerville recently.

Miss Gloria Findlay and Mrs. Alma Reid motored to Calgary last week, where they attended the Horse Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff M. Todd of Oriand, Calif., recently had as their house guests for several days Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McCamon of Calgary, who had been vacationing for two months in Southern California and Mexico. Mrs. McCamon was formerly of Vulcan. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McIntyre of Vancouver also called at the Todd and John Adam homes on their way to Southern California to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCaskile of Calgary have been guests at the Cliff Love home in Vulcan, with Mr. McCaskile assisting with harvesting operations at the Love farm, in the district.

A surprise party in honor of Miss Yvonne Somerville was held recently when a group of young people gathered at her home to wish her a happy birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Marsh of Clendon, formerly of Vulcan, are the proud parents of a son, Kenneth William, born on April 17. Congratulations.

The regular meeting of the Royal Purple will be held on Tuesday, May 6 at 8 p.m.

Ivan Todd has returned to Vancouver after helping his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Todd, with the harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Somerville and son Lee, accompanied by Miss Shirley Connely and Arthur, were High River visitors on Sunday.

Mrs. Inez Dwigans returned this week after spending the winter in the States and at other Alberta points.

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